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Dear Mr. Clarkson,

It has come to my attention that a company called "van Kloberg & Associates has registered as a Foreign Agent for the Embassy of the Union of Myanmar.

Please be advised that at no time has this Embassy or its Government ever engaged van Kloberg & Associates for any purpose whatsoever, and that, therefore, there is and was no basis in law or in fact for such registration. There was a document which referred to itself as "contract between van Kloberg & Associates, Ltd. and the Government of the Union of Myanmar". That caption was placed by the van Kloberg firm. That document described a three-month agreement between van Kloberg and a patriotic American of Burmese birth for promotion of better understanding between the

peoples of the United States and the peoples of Myanmar. I witnessed that agreement, which was terminated on 12 November 1991. Neither my government nor my Embassy was a party to it.

In any event, if there ever was a constructive agreement, it ended on its own terms at the end of three-month period. Van Kloberg firm does not represent Myanmar in any sense, nor will it ever. Therefore, it will be most appreciated if you will please cancel the registration by the above-named company.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'U Thaung', written in a cursive style.

U Thaung  
Ambassador